

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5439

INFO AMEMBASSY VIENNA IMMEDIATE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L MOSCOW 17785

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: IAEA, UR, US

SUBJECT: IAEA: EXTENDED PROCEDURES CONCERNING REQUESTS FOR  
NUCLEAR EXPLOSION SERVICES

REF: (A) MOSCOW 16448, (B) STATE 290909

1. MFA COUNSELOR G.F. KALINKIN CALLED IN EMBOFF TO  
GIVE REPLY TO OUR REQUEST THAT SOVIETS JOIN US AND  
BRITISH IN ASKING IAEA TO DELAY PNE CONSULTATIONS.  
KALENKIN SAID THAT THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS THE  
WORK OF THE IAEA IN THIS MATTER IMPORTANT AND  
BELIEVES THAT THE WORK OF THE GROUP "MUST PROCEED."  
HOWEVER, THE SOVIET UNION ALSO CONSIDERS THAT THE CTB  
TALKS IN GENEVA ARE IMPORTANT AND THEREFORE, IT IS  
PREPARED TO RECOMMEND TO THE IAEA THAT THE PNE MEETINGS  
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IN VIENNA BE POSTPONED FROM THE DECEMBER DATE NOW SET  
UNTIL NEXT MARCH OR APRIL.

2. KALENKIN SAID THIS DECISION HAD BEEN TRANS-  
MITTED TO THE SOVIET MISSION TO THE IAEA AND  
THAT THE SOVIET MISSION IS PREPARED TO COORDINATE  
WITH THE U.S. MISSION IN THE SOVIET APPROACH TO

THE IAEA. EMBOFF INFORMED KALENKIN THAT IN  
COORDINATION WITH SEVERAL OTHER MEMBER STATES  
AND IN THE ABSENCE OF A SOVIET REPLY TO OUR  
SUGGESTION, THE U.S. AHD ALREADY DECIDED TO APPROACH  
THE IAEA ALONG THE LINE OF OUR ORIGINAL SUGGESTION  
AND THAT THE INFORMAL APPROACH MAY ALREADY HAVE  
BEEN MADE. EMBOFF SAID SOVIET IAEA MISSION WOULD  
BE INFORMED IN ADVANCE OF AOUR APPROACH AND THAT OUR  
TWO MISSIONS, THEREFORE, MAY BE BEST ABLE TO DETERMINE  
IF ANY COORDINATION OF THE SOVIET DEMARCHE WITH  
THE OTHERS IS STILL POSSIBLE.  
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